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FOR: METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF TEMPLATE NUCLEIC ACID
PRESENT IN A SAMPLE

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

March 17, 2006

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements mailed March 2, 2006, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

Amended portions of the **specification** are presented on page 2.

Sequence identifiers are added.

Entry of a substitute **Sequence Listing** is requested on page 3.

The **claims** are presented on pages 4-9.

Remarks begin on page 10.